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In re application of : TROY A. USSERY, ET AL.  
Serial No. : 09/751,246  
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For : DATABASE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS AND METHODS OF  
OPERATING THE SAME  
Group No. : 2134  
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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This Amendment responds to a final Office Action mailed April 21, 2005 having a shortened statutory period of response set to expire on July 21, 2005. The Applicants are filing this Amendment on June 21, 2005 within two (2) months from the date of the final Office Action.

Please amend the patent application (the "Application") as set forth below.

An Advisory Action is respectfully requested.